

**BEST PRACTICES 2019-20**

1. 'Urja Kiran', is an initiative under the Energy Management Centre – Kerala (EMC) is aimed at providing services to facilitate Energy Conservation Awareness Campaign. Adhering to the objective laid out by EMC, the college extended awareness programmes to the general public and also equipped them to develop new sources of energy. Under the aegis of EMC, the college has conducted awareness classes on energy conservation. Residents of three panchayats of Kannur District were given awareness classes on energy conservation and they were also given hands-on training in manufacturing LED bulbs, thus ensuring public participation. The programme was a success as it witnessed massive participation of the public. A Student Solar Ambassador is assigned to enhance the activities of the programme and also to create awareness among the students and public.

2. Disaster Management: The world is swept by the threat of disasters and emergencies presently. The unprecedented recurrence of floods in the state has shattered the lives of people in the district too. The compassionate students of the college visited the rehabilitation centres and realised the difficulties of the people living there. As a measure of relief they collected money and commodities worth around rupees one lakh thirty thousand and handed it over directly to the victims at Ambayathode U.P. school.

3 Organic Farming: The NSS volunteers of the college has taken up the task of setting up an organic vegetable garden in the campus. The students have gained first hand knowledge in cultivation and have also extended the activities by developing vegetable garden in their homes and neighbourhoods. The organically made produce are grown sans chemical fertilisers or pesticides and is sold to the staff and students of the college. The students are also made aware of the harmful sides of consuming chemically fertilised vegetables and fruits. A record 253 kilos of tapioca were cultivated in the campus along with banana, tomatoes, chilly, cabbage, Amaranthus, okra and cauliflower.

4. Sharing and Caring around Rs. 80,000 were collected to assist two students and a parent of a student in their medical treatment. NSS students sold home cooked food items for two days under a project called "Koottu" (together) to collect Rs.20000. The staff of the college donated Rs. 4,11,341 as the first installment to the chief Minister`s Relief fund.

5. Blood Donation: The hospitals In Kannur district has to just make a phone call and the student with the required blood group is immediately sent to the blood collecting center.